



Agricultural Prices



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KANSAS: The February All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Kansas farmers, at 118 percent of the 1990-92 base, is down 12 points from January but up 3 points from February 2009. The All Crops Index in February, at 149 percent of the 1990-92 base, is down 13 points from January and down 15 points from 2009. The Meat Animals Index, at 115 percent of the 1990-92 base, is up 3 points from January and 8 points above last year. More detailed information regarding price indexes is shown in the first table on the back of this release.

Wheat prices in mid-February, at \$4.15 per bushel, are down 46 cents from January and \$1.02 below last February.

Corn prices in mid-February, at \$3.23 per bushel, are down 36 cents from January and 31 cents below last February.

Farmers received an average of \$5.20 per cwt. for **grain sorghum** in mid-February, down 47 cents from January but 26 cents above last February.

Soybean prices, at \$9.10 per bushel in mid-February, are down 43 cents from January and 16 cents below last February.

All hay prices averaged \$98 per ton in mid-February, down \$7 from January and \$12 lower than last year. **Alfalfa hay** averaged \$103 per ton, down \$7 from January and \$18 lower than last February. **Other hay**, at \$67 per ton, is down \$3 from January and \$11 below last February.

All beef cattle were bringing an average of \$88.20 per cwt. in mid-February, up \$1.90 from January and \$5.60 above the price last February. **Cow** prices, at \$54.40 per cwt., are up \$4.30 from January and \$8.70 above the price last February. **Steers and heifers** averaged \$88.90 per cwt., up \$1.90 from January and \$5.50 above February 2009. **Calf** prices in mid-February were \$118.00 per cwt., up \$3.00 from January and up \$4.00 from February 2009.

The **all hog** price of \$45.10 per cwt. for mid-February is up 60 cents from January and up \$5.80 from last February. **Sow** prices averaged \$46.60, up \$8.10 from January and 40 cents higher than February 2009. **Barrow and gilt** prices averaged \$44.90 per cwt. in mid-February, down 50 cents from January but \$6.60 above last February.

Grain and oilseed prices by district are shown in the second table on the back of this release.

UNITED STATES: The **All Farm Products Index** of Prices Received in February is 133 percent of the 1990-92 base, down 6 points from January but 7 points above February 2009.

The February **All Crops Index**, at 145, is down 7 points from January and 1 point below February 2009.

The February Livestock and Products Index, at 122, is unchanged from last month but up 13 points from February 2009.

Prices Received by Farmers and Feed Ratios, Kansas and United States

		Kansas		United States				
Commodity	Feb	Jan	Mid-Feb	Feb	Jan	Mid-Feb	Feb	
	2009	2010	2010	2009	2010	2010	Parity 1	
All Wheat, bu	5.17	4.61	4.15	5.79	4.92	4.67	14.70	
Corn, bu	3.54	3.59	3.23	3.87	3.66	3.45	9.15	
Oats, bu	3.51	3.37	3.23	2.69	2.18	2.13	6.00	
Barley, bu				4.99	4.73	4.25	10.20	
Sorghum, cwt	4.94	5.67	5.20	5.04	5.84	5.42	16.10	
All Sunflowers, cwt	20.90	15.60	14.90	22.60	15.70	14.90	45.50	
All Hay, ton	110.00	105.00	98.00	131.00	109.00	107.00		
Alfalfa, ton	121.00	110.00	103.00	141.00	113.00	111.00		
Other, ton	78.00	70.00	67.00	108.00	99.60	97.10		
Soybeans, bu	9.26	9.53	9.10	9.54	9.79	9.40	22.50	
All Beef Cattle, cwt	82.60	86.30	88.20	78.90	82.10	84.40	251.00	
Cows, cwt	45.70	50.10	54.40	43.60	47.90	50.50		
All Steers & Heifers, cwt	83.40	87.00	88.90	83.80	87.50	89.40		
Calves, cwt	114.00	115.00	118.00	104.00	109.00	111.00	354.00	
Hogs, cwt	39.30	44.50	45.10	43.80	48.40	48.10	136.00	
Sows, cwt	46.20	38.50	46.60	43.30	38.50	45.30		
Barrows & Gilts, cwt	38.30	45.40	44.90	43.80	48.90	48.20		
Lambs, cwt ²				100.00	102.00		283.00	
Sheep, cwt ²				31.40	52.40		107.00	
All Milk, cwt ³	13.00	17.00	16.70	11.60	16.10	15.90	45.00	
Average fat test, percent ³	3.70	3.80	3.75	3.73	3.77	3.73		
Feed Ratios								
Steer & Heifer - Corn	23.6	24.2	27.5	21.7	23.9	25.9		
Hog - Corn	11.1	12.4	14.0	11.3	13.2	13.9		
Milk - Feed				1.51	2.31	2.38		

¹ U.S. Parity Prices based on 1910-14 base. ² Preliminary price not published. ³ Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.

Index Numbers - Prices Received by Farmers, Kansas and United States

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	Kansas 1990-92=100%			United States					
Product Group					1990-92=100%		1910-14=100%		%
Froduct Group	Feb 2009	Jan 2010	Mid-Feb 2010	Feb 2009	Jan 2010	Mid-Feb 2010	Feb 2009	Jan 2010	Mid-Feb 2010
All Farm Products	115	130	118	126	139	133	798	884	846
All Crops	164	162	149	146	152	145	724	753	718
Food Grains	184	164	148	205	174	171	649	552	543
Feed Grains & Hay				169	158	149	604	565	532
Feed Grains	150	157	142						
Hay	172	164	153						
Oil-bearing Crops	168	173	165	172	174	167	945	953	917
Livestock & Products				109	122	122	836	939	937
Meat Animals	107	112	115	105	110	112	1,066	1,122	1,144
Dairy Products				89	123	122	714	991	978

Kansas Grain and Oilseed Prices, by District

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Agricultural	Wheat per Bushel		Sorghum	Grain per Cwt	Corn	per Bushel	Soybeans per Bushel		
Statistics District	January 2010	Mid-February 2010	January 2010	Mid-February 2010	January 2010	Mid-February 2010	January 2010	Mid-February 2010	
Northwest West Central	4.36	$\binom{1}{1}$	$\binom{1}{1}$	$\binom{1}{1}$	$\binom{1}{1}$	$\binom{1}{1}$	$\binom{1}{1}$	$\binom{1}{1}$	
Southwest	4.62	4.20	5.35	5.00	3.63	3.25	9.12	8.60	
North Central	4.55	4.10	5.67	5.15	3.44	3.15	9.43	9.00	
Central	4.57	4.20	5.69	5.30	3.49	3.20	9.48	8.90	
South Central	4.64	4.30	5.62	5.25	3.60	3.25	9.53	9.10	
Northeast	4.55	4.20	5.62	5.20	3.58	3.30	9.63	9.20	
East Central	4.51	4.15	5.78	5.40	3.60	3.25	9.63	9.25	
Southeast	4.39	4.00	5.40	5.05	3.71	3.40	9.53	9.20	
State	4.61	4.15	5.67	5.20	3.59	3.23	9.53	9.10	

¹ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms or due to insufficient data.